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INSTITUTE OVER

Teachers Had a Successful And Profitable Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Teachers' Association closed this afternoon after a very successful session of two days. The attendance was good both days and the teachers enjoyed the papers and discussions. The successful teacher, one really interested in school work, always appreciates and therefore gets much good out of such meetings.

The program today, like the program Friday, included papers and discussions by several of the best teachers in the county. At the general session Prof. F. M. Stalker gave two talks, one in the forenoon and another in the afternoon. His talks were along professional lines and proved very helpful to the teachers. He is one of the strongest men on the State Normal faculty and takes high rank among the educators of the state.

Saturday morning there were meetings also of the high school, the common school and the primary sections, and at each one of these meetings a good program was given. The local teachers who had places on the program the last day included Miss Kate Andrews, L. A. Ackerman, Miss Elizabeth Reinhart and Miss Josephine Abel.

The lecture by Prof. F. M. Stalker and the recital by Prof. Johnson Bane was largely attended. "Dreamers and Doers" was the subject of the lecture which abounded in good and wholesome truth. Prof. Bane is a guitarist of renown and captivated his audience. Miss Evelyn Wood gave a pleasing recitation.

Mayor's Court.

Two persons were given fines and jail sentence in the Mayor's court this morning. Thursday Leslie Wallace, who claimed that his home was in Cincinnati, pleaded guilty to a charge of attempting to beat a board bill at the Louisville restaurant and was fined \$25 and costs and thirty days in jail. This will keep the offender at Brownstown for about 66 days. He became impudent before the Mayor and so lost any opportunity he may have had for leniency.

Testing Coal.

Harry Hair, foreman at the B. & O. S-W. round house, was out of the city today making a coal test. The railway companies are always looking out for the best and what the road wants is the coal that will keep up steam the best at the least expense, all things considered. Mr. Hair went as far west as Washington.

Judge and Mrs. O. H. Montgomery and Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Blish returned Friday evening from their trip to Andersonville, Georgia, where they witnessed the dedication of the monument erected there by Indiana. They came back on the special train which reached here between 8 and 9 o'clock.

DIED.

HONAN.—Miss Katherine A. Honan, daughter of Mrs. Mary Honan, died at the family residence, 225 East Third street, at 11 o'clock Saturday forenoon, November 28. She had been sick about eight weeks. The announcement of her death came as a shock to her many friends. She was born in Seymour Nov. 23, 1873, and spent her entire life in this city. Her age at the time of her death was 35 years and 5 days. Her father was the late Patrick Honan. Besides her mother she leaves one sister, Mrs. W. H. Willman. She was well known and had a wide circle of friends.

Funeral Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock from St. Ambrose Catholic church. Burial at the Catholic cemetery.

SMITH.—Wm. T. Smith, of Austin, died at his residence about eight o'clock Tuesday morning of apoplexy, aged 75 years, he was a veteran of the civil war, serving in Co. A 53 Ind. He leaves a widow and one daughter, Mrs. James Coster, of Austin. The remains were interred in the Crothersville cemetery.

Birthday Party.

Miss Flossie Allen celebrated her 16th birthday Friday evening by entertaining some twenty of her girl friends at her home, 109 East Third St. Hours 7:30 to 10:30. The decorations were pink and white and were carried out in the refreshments. Cream and cake were served. The evening was pleasantly spent in games. The time for separating came all too soon. The guests on leaving wished Miss Flossie many happy returns. The presents were not only beautiful, but useful.

Hopewell's rink open tonight.

Birthday Surprise.

Miss Bessie Deputy, of Crothersville, was given a pleasant surprise Friday evening at her home in honor of her sixteenth birthday. The guests included several young people from Seymour and others from Scottsburg. The young people from Seymour went down on the eight o'clock car and returned late in the evening. The young people from here enjoyed the trip and the trolly ride very much.

Elks Dance.

The Elks gave a dance at their club rooms Thursday evening for the members of the club and their lady friends. It was a pleasant affair and was enjoyed by a number of out-of-town people in addition to the local people who were present. Excellent music was furnished and a banquet was served.

It is the weak nerves that are crying out for help. Then help them don't drug the stomach or stimulate the heart or kidneys. That is wrong. Vitalize these weak inside nerves with Dr. Shoop's Restorative and see how fast good health will come to you again. Test it and see. Sold by A. J. Pellens.

Shoulder bones and boiling beef 5 cents a pound at Nichter's. n28d

Good music, good skating at Hopewell's.

Ludwig Becker.

Commenting on the violin playing of Ludwig Becker, who comes to Seymour next Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Progressive Music Club, the Chicago News says:

"Mr. Becker is a master of both tone and technic, and carried through its mazy intricacies with a sureness and brilliancy that realized most effective results in performance."

Of his part in the same concert given by the Theodore Thomas Orchestra the Chicago Tribune says in part: "Mr. Becker fairly sang the melodies and in the technical show portions he employed the facility, the surety, the precision and the lightness that they demand for full and effective rendition."

This famous violinist will be at the Majestic in this city next Tuesday evening.

The program to be given by Mr. Becker here follows:

Sonata.....Grieg
Three movements
D minor concerto.....Wieniawski
Two movements
Albumblatt.....Wagner
Serenade.....Drla
Nocturno.....Chopin
Mazurka.....Larocyci

Marshall Resigns.

Len Weddle handed in his resignation as marshal of Mitchell Tuesday. We could not learn who Mayor Brown will appoint as his successor. We want to say, and we want Mr. Weddle to know, that his efforts to make a better city of Mitchell have been appreciated by the good people. He has made a conscientious officer and has done his duty fearlessly. We would have been pleased to have him remain on duty.—Mitchell Commercial.

Leonard Weddle was a resident of Seymour a few years ago.

Had Many Friends.

The Mitchell Commercial reports the death of Mrs. J. W. Pomeroy and comments on her life in Mitchell in a paragraph as follows:

"During her stay in Mitchell she made many warm friends who are deeply grieved to learn of her death, who sympathize tenderly with Mr. Pomeroy and son Ira, who have borne patiently their sorrow."

Trust Busters Tonight.

The most popular comedy on the road will be at The Majestic tonight. "The Trust Busters" is a great success. Unlike most comedies it has a plot and the plot is in the main responsible for the many ludicrous mishaps and complications that round out two hours and a half of genuine merriment.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere and heartfelt thanks to our many friends here for their kindly assistance and helpful sympathy after the death of our wife and mother and to assure them that their kindness will always be remembered by us.

J. W. POMEROY AND SON.

Excellent Work.

There was never better work done in a business college than is being done in the Seymour Business College this year. An ideal set of students in attendance. A number of new students are expected to enter Monday, November 30th.

Surprise.

Mrs. Maggie Miller was given a pleasant surprise Thursday evening at her home on North Ewing street in honor of her birthday anniversary. Several of her friends were present and enjoyed the evening.

"Health Coffee" is the cleverest imitation of real coffee ever yet made. Dr. Shoop created it from pure parched grains, malt nuts, etc., Fine in flavor—is made in just one minute. No 20 or 30 minutes tedious boiling. Sample free. For sale by C. E. Abel.

Herman Chambers, manager here at the interurban car barns, will move his family to Seymour this week and will reside in the rooms recently vacated by the interurban offices over the traction station.

A tickling or dry cough can be quickly loosened with Dr. Shoop's Cough Remedy. No opium, no chloroform, nothing unsafe or harsh. Sold by A. J. Pellens.

Farmers in town today report that the rain has been very beneficial to the wheat but they say more rain is needed to meet all the demands.

The Trust Busters arrived in the city this morning on No. 7 and will appear at the opera house tonight.

Sprenger's barber shop is the best

NEW MEXICO

C. H. Hancock Writes of Recent Trip Into That Territory.

Chas. H. Hancock writes the REPUBLICAN from Roswell New Mexico, telling of his trip through that territory. He says:

"I have concluded to write you from this southwestern territory thinking perhaps some of my old friends would like to know something of this country. I left Tulsa on Wednesday, Nov. 18, and landed here Friday. I saw nothing that looked good to me after leaving Oklahoma until I reached this place (Roswell) where the artisan territory commences.

Roswell is a nice little city of about 8000 people with some good business and residence property, good schools and a place of considerable wealth and refinement and an hospitable people. After looking over this place I took passage in an automobile and went south through a part of the immense Alfalfa Country and saw more in that line than I ever expected to see in a life time. Saw farms that have changed hands at from \$250 to \$500 per acre and are paying good interest on the investment as a good many of the farmers have from 25 to 100 acres in bearing orchards from which they realized \$150 to \$200 per acre this year and they tell me they have only missed one crop in sixteen years. Alfalfa is cut five times each season and is good pasture all winter. I visited a ranch where the owners makes a business of raising Hereford cattle and carried off premiums at Chicago. Cattle keep fat on the Alfalfa pasture without any grain. I stopped at Dexter, N. M. about seventeen miles south of Roswell and found the best of flowing wells that I have seen anywhere, water coming out of an eight inch pipe 1000 feet deep at a pressure of forty pounds to the square inch. Saw one well that irrigates 240 acres of ground. Leaving Dexter I went on south to Artesia, a thriving little town with 1000 inhabitants and two banks. Here they have a mill to grind up Alfalfa about like wheat bran and it is packed in sacks same as shipstuffs. This saves about two dollars in freight per ton and after ground will bring about three dollars per ton more. After going about twenty miles south of Artesia we started the return trip to Roswell which place we pulled into at 6 p.m. Nov. 24, having traveled over two hundred miles in an automobile over the best road I ever saw for county roads.

I shall start north tomorrow and will probably arrive home this week. Health here is good. Grave yards small and everybody seems happy.

Yours truly,
C. H. HANCOCK.

New Rink Opened.

Charles Nicholson, of this city, and James Bosley, of Brownstown, opened a new skating rink in the Odd Fellows building at Brownstown Thursday evening. Quite a number of young people were down from Seymour to attend the opening.

Dreamland Tonight.

"Stage Struck Daughter," and "The Renunciation." Latest pictorial ballad, "If it's good enough for Washington It's good enough for Me," by Miss Carter.

Piano Tuning.

Four years factory experience. First class work. Call or address Estel Hancock. Seymour, Ind. n30-tts-a-w

Foot-ball.

Brownstown defeated Hayden in the foot-ball game at Brownstown Thanksgiving day by a score of 27 to 0.

Fire At Austin.

The residence of Mr. Owens burned at Austin Thursday night.

All leading grocers handle Becker Bros. celebrated Graham Flour, buhr ground. Sdtf

Bring your friends to the rink tonight.

DON'T FORGET

That the Cleaning and Pressing Shop of H. E. WEITHOFF has been moved to the Blish Bldg., corner of St. Louis Ave. and Chestnut St., and is now being conducted under the new management of WEITHOFF & KERNAN. And remember that we are better prepared to do your work than ever before at the same reasonable prices. We do all kinds of dry and chemical cleaning, scouring, dyeing, remodeling, etc. of ladies' and gents' garments.

American Army.

Captain Clark has completed arrangements for the opening meetings of the American Salvation Army at their hall, corner of Brown and Poplar streets, Saturday night and Sunday afternoon and night. These meetings should be well attended as they will prove interesting and beneficial to all who desire to know something about the American Salvation Army. The local Army will be assisted in these meetings by Adjutant Robt. Ham and wife, of New Albany, and Capt. Wm. Voght, of Ft. Wayne. On Sunday night Capt. Clark's baby, Eva, will be dedicated to the Army by Adj. Ham. This is something well worth going to see.

Horticultural Society.

The forty-eighth annual meeting of the Indiana State Horticultural Society will be held Wednesday and Thursday of next week in Rooms 11 and 12 of the State House. There will be exhibits of apples, pears and miscellaneous fruits and cut flowers, and an attractive program upon matters interesting to farmers and horticultural students has been prepared. One of the features of the meeting will be a lecture on civic beauty Wednesday evening by Prof. S. W. Fletcher, of Blacksburg, Va., a national authority on the methods of embellishing city and suburban homes.

Mayor's Court.

James B. Hobson was given a fine of \$10 and costs and a ten day jail sentence this morning in Mayor Kyte's court. If the fine is not staid or paid it will keep him in jail about thirty-one days.

Geneva Hall was up before Mayor Kyte this morning for the fifth time and was given a fine of \$25 and costs and thirty days in jail. If she remains in jail till she lays out the entire amount including the fine and costs she will be there for about sixty-six days, or till some time in February.

Society Entertained.

The Lutheran Aid Society entertained Thursday evening at their club rooms at the corner of Chestnut and Bruce streets. The program included a number of instrumental selections, readings and other features. The invitations included the members of the society and their lady friends. About fifty were present and enjoyed the program and the social entertainment before and after. This society was formerly known as the Pendennis Club.

Thanksgiving Dinner.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Apel, on Chestnut street, was the scene of an elegant Thanksgiving dinner yesterday. The table, prettily decorated with ferns, had covers for ten and the guests were Mrs. Alvina Corthum, J. B. Keith and P. S. Bailey, of Seymour; Miss Minnie Apel, of Indianapolis, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Apel and daughter, Clara.—Columbus Republican.

Ludwig Becker, Violinist and concert master of the Theodore Thomas orchestra, will be at the Majestic theatre next Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Progressive Music Club.

MY OWN FAMILY USE PE-RU-NA.



HON. GEORGE W. HONEY. National Chaplain U. V. U., ex-Chaplain Fourth Wisconsin Cavalry, ex-Treasurer State of Wisconsin, and ex-Quartermaster General State of Texas G. A. R., writes from 1700 First St., N. E., Washington, D. C. as follows:

"I cannot too highly recommend your preparation for the relief of *catarrhal troubles in their various forms*. Some members of my own family have used it with most gratifying results. When other remedies failed, *Peruna* proved most efficacious and I cheerfully certify to its curative excellence."

Mr. Fred L. Hebard, for nine years a leading photographer of Kansas City, Mo., located at the northeast corner of 12th and Grand Aves., cheerfully gives the following testimony: "It is a proven fact that *Peruna* will cure *catarrh* and *la grippe*, and as a *tonic* it has no equal. Druggists have tried to make me take something else 'just as good,' but *Peruna* is good enough for me."

Pe-ru-na in Tablet Form.

For two years Dr. Hartman and his assistants have incessantly labored to create *Peruna* in tablet form, and their strenuous labors have just been crowned with success. People who object to liquid medicines can now secure *Peruna* tablets, which represent the solid medicinal ingredients of *Peruna*.

Fire At Scottsburg.

The new residence of James Pierson, of Scottsburg, burned Thursday night. The fire had gained such headway when it was discovered that it was impossible to save the building. It is supposed to have started from a bad arrangement of the flue. Most of the furniture was saved. The house was built last summer and was one of the nicest residences in Scottsburg. There was \$1,800 insurance on the building which does not cover all the loss. There was also \$500 insurance on the contents.

Mr. Pierson was formerly a motor-man on the I. & L. traction line and is wellknown in this city. He brought the first car into Seymour from the south when the road was first put into operation.

The people of Scottsburg are expecting to have waterworks in the near future if there is any of the town left to have any use for it. Besides the other smaller fires there have been two large fires there this year the total loss in which was about seventy-five thousand dollars, or enough to put in waterworks in two or three such towns. But the people thought they could not afford it and now when there is much less use for waterworks than there has been for years they have decided they need them and have set the ball rolling.

Richart

For Shoes and Rubbers

We carry the best line of medium priced Shoes you can find on the market. We have them in all leathers for ladies, men, girls and boys. We have just received a nice line of Low Heel Shoes for big girls, both in button and lace. Just the shoe for school wear. There is no doubt that our stock of Rubber Goods is the most complete in the city.

Yours For Shoes
RICHART
Opposite Interurban Station

Majestic Theatre

Saturday, Nov. 28

Bring around your Trust, Ikey & Mickey will Bust it. Come and Enjoy a Continuous Laugh with

"The Trust Busters"

And Their Associate Fun Makers

A Big Company of COMEDIANS, COMEDIENNES, SINGERS and DANCERS.

Hear the Recently Born Songs. See the Pretty Costumes, Girls and Scenery.

Prices: 25, 35, 50 and 75 cents. Seats on sale at Miller's Book Store.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON
NOVEMBER 29, 1908
WORLD'S TEMPERANCE SUNDAY. Text: Isa. 28: 1-13.
GOLDEN TEXT:—I keep under my body, and bring it into subjection.—1 Cor. 9: 27.

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Any one who writes notes on these lessons can scarcely fail to be impressed with this strange fact—that we never have a lesson from the prophets unless it is the quarterly temperance lesson, and in looking over the synopsis of lessons I notice that no lessons from prophecy appear in the course of study till 1911 and then only in connection with studies in the lives of the kings. It would seem as if prophecy was not considered a profitable study, as if it was considered a dark subject in the midst of much light instead of a light shining in a dark place whereunto we do well that we take heed (II Pet. i, 19). Might not the Saviour have good reasons to say to the professing Christians of our time, "O fools and slow of heart, to believe all that the prophets have spoken?" (Luke xxiv, 25.) Preachers and people seem to have closed eyes and to be in a deep sleep concerning the wonderful purpose of God concerning the ages and are therefore said to be drunken, but not with wine; to stagger, but not with strong drink (xxix, 9). Which is worse—that phase of drunkenness or the beastly drunkenness which is the result of literal strong drink? If we judge from the fact that the awful words which fell from the Saviour's lips, and only from His, concerning weeping, wailing and gnashing of teeth were spoken not concerning the openly ungodly, but concerning professing believers who did not believe, it should not be difficult to decide as to what He thinks of it.
It may not be amiss to call attention to the section of Isaiah which this chapter begins, the woe section, but in another aspect it might be called the section of the cornerstone, the tried stone, the sure foundation, laid by God Himself (verse 16), and other foundation there is none, for all else is a refuge of lies, a bed too short to stretch oneself on, covering too narrow to wrap oneself in, and when the Lord comes in judgment and righteousness to sweep away all false refuges and to cause Israel to blossom and bud and fill the face of the earth with fruit then it shall be seen (verses 17-20; chapter xxvii, 6). Drunkenness is the outward manifestation of a phase of proud sinful self which, not knowing what ails it, seeks satisfaction in this form and calls it a glorious good time, not considering that there is a judgment to come, a time when the sowing shall bring a fearful harvest of everlasting woe and all the glory and beauty (in their eyes) of the present rioting shall forever fade away. The disgusting filthiness of

BETTER THAN SPANKING.
Spanking does not cure children of bed-wetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Summers, Box W, Notre Dame, Ind., will send free to any mother her successful home treatment, with full instructions. Send no money, but write her today if your children trouble you in this way. Don't blame the child, the chances are it can't help it. This treatment also cures adults and aged people troubled with urine difficulties by day or night.
Canned Peach Recipes.
Peach Salad.—Drain the peaches and wipe each one dry. Arrange on white lettuce and put a little mayonnaise in the heart of each one. Add a little whipped cream to this if you have it.
Peach Melba.—Stimmer the peaches in thick sirup, drain them and arrange on plates. Make a quart of vanilla ice cream, heap each peach full and top with a maraschino or candied cherry, or stand each peach first on a round of stale sponge cake.
Peach Shortcake.—Drain the peaches and slice them as though fresh. Make a two layer cake, put the peaches in and on top and serve with cream.—Harper's Bazar.
TERSE TELEGRAMS
The death is announced of Jean Albert Gaudry, the French scientist. He was born in 1827.
The government wharf at Sorel, Que., collapsed. The damage is estimated at \$200,000.
Business failures for the week number 193, against 273 last week and 258 in the like week of 1907.
Frank H. Hitchcock has been offered and has accepted the position of postmaster general in the Taft cabinet that is to be.
With the annual game between the army and navy at Philadelphia today, the football season of 1908 will be brought to a close.
Rear Admiral Alexander Wilson Russell of the United States navy retired, is dead at his home at Philadelphia, aged eighty-four years.
Likelihood that receipts of wheat in the Northwest will show a decided falling off in the near future imparted strength to the Chicago wheat market.
Mrs. Eleanor Merion Cowper, a talented playwright and actress, shot and fatally wounded herself in an apartment at the St. Regis hotel, New York.
The tannery of T. F. Boyle & Co., at Milford, N. H., was burned, together with a large amount of finished leather. The total loss is placed at \$125,000.
Nature's Foods Best.
The craze for prepared and patented foods of all kinds is moderating. In their place natural food products are being substituted. The dried fruits especially are increasing in popularity. If properly prepared they have lost nothing but water in the drying process, and the addition of this moisture restores the fruit to practically its original condition.
Currants are increasing in popularity perhaps more rapidly than any other dried fruit largely as the result of a better understanding of their wholesome qualities. No artificial processes enter into the curing of this fruit in Greece, the home of the currant. The finest qualities are dried in the shade, others in the sun. It takes about five pounds of the small seedless fresh grapes to make a pound of dried currants.
Made Good His Escape.
Port au Prince, Haiti, Nov. 27.—A dispatch received here from official sources announces that General Leconte, minister of the interior, who it was reported had been killed by revolutionists, was not executed but succeeded in making good his escape in a rowboat with a number of officers, and that the rowboat reached Petit Goave last night. Confirmation of the news contained in this dispatch has not yet been received.

B. & O. S.-W.
Special Excursion to Spokane, Washington.
Account National Apple Show. For the above occasion we will sell round trip tickets to Spokane and return at the rate of \$64.95. Dates of sale Dec. 1, 2 and 3.
Home seekers round trip tickets to the West and Southwest, also to the South and South-east on sale of the first and third Tuesdays of each month. For further information call at the B. & O. ticket office. C. C. FREY, Agt. W. P. TOWNSEND, D. P. A. Vincennes, Ind.

Fruit For the Christmas Tree.

Cushion Novelties That May Be Made at Home by Dainty Fingers—Heart Shaped and Doll Pincushions.

Of all the Christmas presents that can be made at home at small expense none is more simple or has more originality than the ever welcome pincushion. Fortunately for the woman whose income is small, these decorative and useful cushions are quite easy to make at home.
A very dainty little hanging cushion is heart shaped and three or four inches long. Trace the outline of the heart on paper and cut it out for pattern.



MATERIALS REQUIRED.
Sheet of lightweight cardboard.
Odd pieces of silk.
A pretty doll.
Baby ribbon.
Pins.

HEART SHAPED CUSHION.
Then draw the heart shape for the cushion on a sheet of lightweight cardboard and cut out. Two shapes are needed, one for each side. Any odd piece of silk may be used, plain or figured. Cover the cardboard with scented cotton, then cover that with the silk. Put the doll's head between the pieces of cardboard and overhand neatly with silk. On each side of the head fasten a bow of baby ribbon by which it can hang.
The little doll is dressed in soft yellow silk and gauze wings that fasten on her back at the waist line and show



MATERIALS REQUIRED.
A half yard of yellow silk for dress.
A small doll.
String of beads.
Cotton batting.
Gauze for wings.

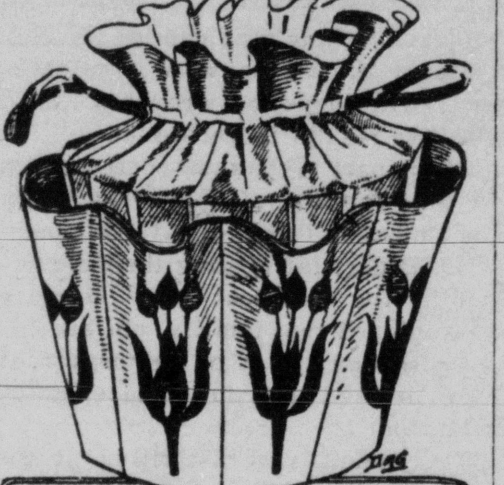
DOLL PINCUSHION.
A little above the head. The full skirt is filled with cotton, and then a piece of cardboard cut round and three inches wide, covered to match the dress, is sewed to the bottom of the skirt.
A set of natural colored crash cushions is a most acceptable gift to the college boy or girl. They may have tops of perfectly plain linen and cords or narrow frills of a contrasting color, or each one may be embroidered, one with the college emblem, another with the recipient's initials, a third with the class colors and a fourth with a fraternity design.

Cover For Medicine Glass.
A pretty Christmas trifle utilizing scraps of fine white linen is a cover for a glass of milk or one containing medicine that has perhaps to stand some time. First a square of glass is cut the required size, then two pieces of linen a little larger than the glass, on one of which is embroidered a spray of small flowers or two or three single larger blossoms, as pansies, according to fancy. The two pieces are sewed together and bound with ribbon matching the embroidery, and into this case the glass square is slipped. This little device would as a gift bring much pleasure to a sick child or even adult.
Equally acceptable, too, will it be to those taking the milk diet.

Christmas Hints.
Corset bags of ribbon are not new, but those with outside pockets, containing suspenders and corset laces, are a novelty.
If there is a baby to be remembered, a little sack of soft cashmere is a suggestion. It could be made in nightgown style.
Ribbon corset bags made on the order of the toothbrush case minus the rubber lining would be a welcome gift when dainty sachet pouches are sewed up to the bottom.

STOCKING BAG GIFT.

A Christmas Remembrance Our Grandmothers Found Very Useful.
The stocking bag, as it was called, used to be a great favorite with our grandmothers for keeping their knitting wools in; but, while they used brown holland for its manufacture, the modern bag is made in old rose linen with the embroidery done in black cotton, a color scheme which is extremely effective. For a good sized bag a yard of linen is required, the actual bag taking three-fourths of a yard and the strip for the pockets one-fourth yard.
First take the linen for the bag and make a broad hem with a place for a drawstring at the top. Then fold the



MATERIALS REQUIRED.
Six yards of rose colored linen.
Two yards of inch wide ribbon.
Embroidery silks.

A LINEN STOCKING BAG.
narrow piece for the pockets into six, creasing them with a warm iron, and embroider some simple design on each of the six divisions. When the embroidery is finished arrange the pockets on the bag, afterward firmly stitching them along the creases. Stitch up the side of the bag and then sew the bottom to a round of the linen, concealing the turnings by means of another round of linen neatly hemmed on. Drawstrings of old rose ribbon finish off a very smart and useful bag.

GIFTS FOR A MAN.

Prints of Famous Pictures Mounted on Shaving Pads.

The inexpensive prints of famous pictures may be utilized in many charming ways in homemade Christmas gifts. A token for a man which is just finished combines a shaving pad and calendar. One of the stiff gray photograph mounts is employed as a foundation. The tissue shaving leaves are clamped at the top of one side with brass paper fasteners, which not only hold them in place, but catch ribbon bows on the other side. The bows end the loop by which the card is hung. On the calendar side a copy of one of Ruissdael's Hollandish windmill scenes covers the upper half of the card. The calendar pad is pasted below.

A neat matchbox for a bachelor's room is made by covering a square with cream colored art linen which has been appropriately embroidered in some neat design. A miniature stein can be fastened to the card by means of narrow ribbon placed at the top and bottom of the stein and tied on the back of the card. This can be purchased for 10 cents. They are decorated with sentimental quotations.

YULETIDE PRESENTS.

Pretty Lingerie Ribbon Holders For the Christmas Tree.

Now is the time to make little novelties for Christmas.
One cannot begin too soon to make these clever little gifts, for before one knows it holiday time is upon us and there is a general frantic rush at the last moment, which means injudicious buying and inappropriate gifts.
Articles which are handmade, if they are well made and practical, are appreciated more than any other small gift. Among the newest ideas in fancy work are shown innumerable lingerie ribbon holders.
One of the most attractive is in the form of three little maids from school,



MATERIALS REQUIRED.
A half yard of black velvet or velveteen.
Two yards of half inch ribbon.
Three bolts of baby ribbon.

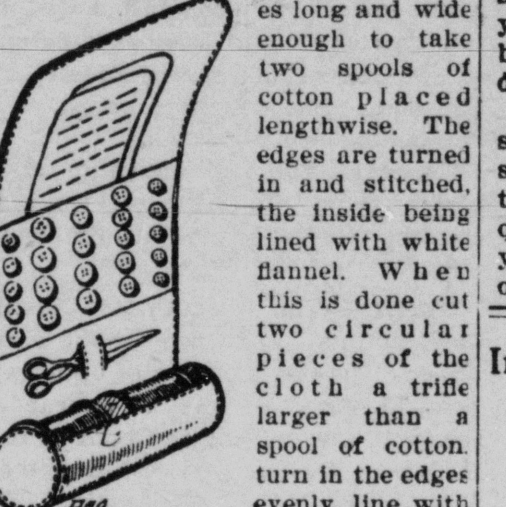
FOR LINGERIE RIBBONS.
which is illustrated. The little maids' aprons are made of black velvet or satin, and in the pockets are placed balls or spools of baby ribbon.

Traveling Toothbrush Case.
A traveling case for a toothbrush is within the powers of unskilled fingers. In making this use a piece of rubber cloth two inches wide and more than double the brush length. Form it into a long, narrow bag to be slipped into a second bag fashioned from silk or ribbon. The mouth of the second or outer bag is finished neatly, and there is a drawstring of narrow cord.

Xmas Presents For Mere Man.

Homemade Offerings That Will Appeal to the Masculine Heart—A Bachelor's Roll—Latest Collar Box.

The average male is usually a very difficult individual to cater to in the way of Christmas presents. The designs illustrated are likely to prove acceptable, especially the bachelor's roll, to the unwedded male condemned to sew on his buttons. For its manufacture a strip of black cloth is serviceable material to use. As the picture shows, it consists of a straight strip about eight inches long and wide enough to take two spools of cotton placed lengthwise. The edges are turned in and stitched, the inside being lined with white flannel. When this is done cut two circular pieces of the cloth a trifle larger than a spool of cotton, turn in the edges evenly, line with the same material as that used for the roll, turn over the one end of the strip and sew to the circle, leaving the opening wide enough to slip in two spools of cotton.



MATERIALS REQUIRED.
One-eighth yard of black cloth.
One-eighth yard of white flannel.
Card of white buttons.
Pair of scissors.
Piece of linen tape.
Needles.

A BACHELOR'S ROLL.
Sew the other circle on the other end to match, then make the needlecase, also of flannel. Secure a strip across the roll from one side to the other, as seen in the illustration, sew some buttons to these, then sew on a strip of narrow tape across the roll through which a pair of scissors can be slipped. Finish off the ends neatly, and the little roll is complete.

Almost any man is pleased with a collar box as a Christmas present, and one of the latest designs is illustrated. In its best form leather is the material used, but any strong fabric will answer the purpose. The box consists of a bag stiffened at the lower part and sewed to a circle of cardboard large enough to accommodate the collars. The edges of the stiffened portion are ornamented with fancy cord, while a cord run through a casing draws the bag up. The word "Collars" may be embroidered on one side or merely the initials. If made of leather the cords should be passed through slits cut at regular intervals.

A cuff case is arranged to match the collar bag, the two making a most at



MATERIALS REQUIRED.
One small skin of green leather.
Two yards of silk cord or One yard of cretonne.
Four yards silk cord.
Embroidery silks for lettering.

THE LATEST COLLAR BOX.

tractive set. The stamped material comes in two pieces, front and back which have ends arranged to fold over and fasten with snaps on the front. This allows the case to be opened at both ends, which is often a great convenience. The case is lined with a handsome green moire which comes with the outfit. One skein each of silk of the different shades is required for working.

A Stocking Novelty.

In wondering what to give a girl friend for Christmas do not forget that a pair of silk stockings always proves acceptable. Black and white are the most popular choices for a gift, as in buying colored stockings it is necessary to know the shade of the gowns and shoes that are to be worn with them. If, however, you want something a little more elaborate, there are black silk stockings with colored tops and insets on the instep to match that are new and popular with young women who are not conservative as to the dressing of their feet.

What to Give.

A little desk ornament consisting of pincushion, clip holder and paper-weight all in one.
Sachets of fancy ribbon attached to elaborately constructed girdles all shirred and gathered.
Smokers' sets in the form of human skulls, consisting of cigar holder, ash receiver, match safe, etc.
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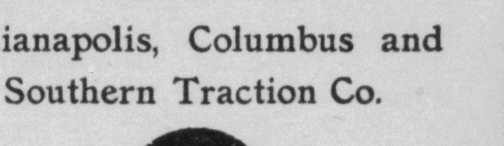
Measuring Hay in Stacks.
To find the number of tons in long, square stacks, multiply the length in yards by the width in yards and that by half the altitude in yards. Then divide that by 15.
For circular stacks multiply the square of the circumference of the stack in yards by four times the altitude in yards and divide by 2. The quotient will be the number of cubic yards. Divide by 15 for the number of tons.—Philadelphia Record.

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Lv Bedford	9:05 a m	6:20 p m
Lv Odon	10:13 a m	7:28 p m
Lv Elora	10:24 a m	7:39 p m
Lv Beehunter	10:38 a m	7:51 p m
Lv Linton	10:53 a m	8:12 p m
Lv Jasonville	11:19 a m	8:39 p m
Ar Terre Haute	12:15 a m	9:35 p m
No. 25, Mixed, Leaves Seymour at 2:25 p m, arrive at Westport 4:10 p m		
South Bound		
	No. 1	No. 3
Lv Terre Haute	6:30 a m	12:30 p m
Lv Jasonville	7:27 a m	1:27 p m
Lv Linton	7:52 a m	1:52 p m
Lv Beehunter	8:07 a m	2:07 p m
Lv Elora	8:21 a m	2:21 p m
Lv Odon	8:31 a m	2:31 p m
Lv Bedford	9:45 a m	3:45 p m
Ar Seymour	11:00 a m	5:00 p m
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MR. PAYNE TALKS TO VAN CLEAVE

Chairman of Tariff Committee Resents Criticism.

TO BE JUDGED BY THE PEOPLE

The Revenue Bill Now in Process of Preparation Will Speak for Itself, Says Mr. Payne, and Those Wise Prophets or Critics Who Are Judging It in Advance Are Not to Be Seriously Considered in Forming an Estimate of the Work Being Done.

Washington, Nov. 28.—"We are fully aware that the bill reported from the committee will be judged by the people, not in the light of view of those wise prophets or critics who are judging it in advance, but in the light of what will be learned from the bill itself and from an examination of material before the committee."

In these words Sen. E. Payne, chairman of the house ways and means committee, replied to a letter from J. W. VanCleave, president of the National Association of Manufacturers, criticizing the methods being pursued in revising the tariff. "Of course, if you have no information at your disposal which would aid the committee in the formation of a bill, I can understand your refusal to appear. If you have such information, I cannot see why you do not accept the invitation which has been extended to you and which is still held out to you, should you reconsider your determination," concluded Mr. Payne.

In his letter to the chairman of the ways and means committee, which was in reply to an invitation to testify at the tariff hearings before the committee, Mr. VanCleave says: "We would rather bear the ills of the Dingley tariff than to be a party to a tariff revision made in the old manner. To appear before you to plead for certain schedules would be to acquiesce in the superficial and unbusinesslike methods of investigation against which we protest. We have carefully watched all the statements that have been made by you and your associates in recent years, and instead of convincing us of the errors of our ways, we are more than ever convinced that your present plans of gathering information, on which the readjustment is proposed to be based, is wrong, radically, absurdly, fatally wrong."

Mr. VanCleave sets forth his views regarding an "expert, non-partisan tariff commission," and claims that it is impossible for the ways and means committee in the limited time at its disposal to make an inquiry which can furnish an adequate basis for any such tariff as the country demands.

There was little of interest brought out at yesterday's session of the committee, which was to finish up the hearing on the metal schedule. While automobiles are to be discussed fully at a later hearing, Charles H. Sherrill of New York appeared for the importers' automobile salon, in favoring a reduction on the tariff for automobiles. He charged that there is an automobile trust which expects to get the duty on automobiles increased. "Instead of an 'infant industry' which is seeking protection at the hands of your honorable committee," said Mr. Sherrill, "it could more properly be called a trust. Up to now all attempts to break this trust have failed because its foundation is a United States patent which is a monopoly granted by the government."

Mr. Sherrill asked that the duty on automobiles be reduced from 45 per cent to 30 per cent ad valorem, claiming that the manufacture of foreign automobiles involved the use of much American machinery besides bringing large business to the American carriage builders, who he said make 90 per cent of the bodies for foreign motor cars.

Girl's Terrible Confession.

Belleville, Ill., Nov. 28.—Miss Nellie Morton has confessed to Chief of Police Helgen and Prosecuting Attorney Trankenburg how she sat on the cot upon which lay Peter Waeltz and watched the old man slowly sink into unconsciousness, while Sydney Baker, her sweetheart, held a handkerchief saturated with chloroform over Waeltz's mouth and nostrils. The next morning Waeltz's body was found at the foot of the stairs with his skull crushed. Baker has disappeared. A warrant is out charging him with murder.

Lamphre Now in Penitentiary.

Michigan City, Ind., Nov. 28.—Ray Lamphre, sentenced to serve an indeterminate sentence for setting fire to the home of Mrs. Belle Guinness, was brought to the state prison by Sheriff Smutzer of Laporte. He was escorted direct to the clerk's window, where commitment papers were issued, and after the usual preliminaries, was placed in a cell. He will not be assigned to work for several days.

Mr. Tang Pushing Along.

Ogden, Utah, Nov. 28.—The special train of seven cars carrying the Chinese special envoy, Tang Shao Yi and entourage, which reached here yesterday afternoon enroute for Washington, is due to reach Omaha this evening.

How to Cure a Cold.

Be careful as you can you will occasionally take cold, and when you do, get a medicine of known reliability, one that has an established reputation and that is certain to effect a quick cure. Such a medicine is Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It has gained world wide reputation by its remarkable cures of this most common ailment, and can always be depended upon. It acts on nature's plan, relieves the lungs, aids expectoration, opens the secretions and aids nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. During the many years in which it has been in general use we have yet to learn of a single case of cold or attack of the grip having resulted in pneumonia when this remedy was used, which show conclusively that it is a certain preventive of the dangerous disease. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy contains no opium or other narcotic and may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult. For sale by C. W. Milhous.

Advertised Letters

The following is a list of letters remaining in the postoffice at Seymour and if not called for within 14 days will be sent to the dead letter office.

LADIES.

Miss Flora Brooks.
Mrs. Grote.
Miss Nellie M. Jones.
Miss Lillie Kellar.

GENTS.

Mr. Albert L. Hill.
Mr. Frank Markwood.
Mr. A. R. White.
Mr. Wagner.

WM. P. MASTERS, P. M.
Seymour, Nov. 23, 1908.

Colds and Croup in Children.

"My little girl is subject to colds," says Mrs. Wm. H. Serlag, No. 41, Fifth St., Wheeling, W. Va. "Last winter she had a severe spell and a terrible cough but I cured her with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy without the aid of a doctor, and my little boy has been prevented many times from having the croup by the timely use of this syrup." This remedy is for sale by C. W. Milhous.

Chauffeur's Shocking Death.

Cleveland, Nov. 28.—A pillar of flame as he ran and leaped in his torture, Palmer Williams, aged twenty-six years, a negro chauffeur, was burned to death as the result of a gasoline explosion last night. Williams was employed by Isaac Flesheim and was working about the garage in the rear of Mr. Flesheim's home when an explosion occurred. Williams, his clothes afire from head to foot, dashed toward an alley. He was dead when neighbors came to his aid and beat out the flames.

What Would You Do?

In case of a burn or scald what would you do to relieve the pain? Such inquiries are liable to occur in any family and everyone should be prepared for them. Chamberlain's Salve applied on a soft cloth will relieve the pain almost instantly, and unless the injury is a very severe one, will cause the parts to heal without leaving a scar. For sale by C. W. Milhous.

Mrs. Clark Under Sentence.

Vermillion, S. D., Nov. 28.—Mrs. Christiana Clark, who was convicted of manslaughter in the second degree for the killing of her husband last August, has been sentenced by Judge Smith to three years and ten months at hard labor, the maximum punishment under the law.

How to Treat a Sprain.

Sprains, swellings and lameness are promptly relieved by Chamberlain's Pain Balm. This liniment reduces inflammation and soreness so that a sprain may be cured in about one-third the time required by the usual treatment. For sale by C. W. Milhous.

The Duke Goes a Climbing.

Turin, Nov. 28.—The Duke of the Abruzzi has left here incognito for the Alps. It seems to be his intention to do some Alpine climbing, as he ordered the famous guide Petiga to join him.

Sick Headache.

This distressing disordered condition of the stomach, can be cured by taking Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Get a free sample at C. W. Milhous's drug store.

The decrease in the activity of the New York stock market indicates the lapse into professional hands of most of the dealings and the subsiding general interest on the part of the general moneyed class.

Pains of women, head pains, or any pain stopped in 20 minutes sure, with Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets. See full formula on 25c box. Sold by A. J. Pellens.

Although the holiday and unseasonable weather handicapped business this week, further substantial progress was made toward normal commercial activity, says Dun's Review.

The little Candy Cold Cure Tablets called Preventives, will in a few hours safely check all Colds or LaGrippe. Try them. 48-25c. Sold by A. J. Pellens.

Want Ads. in the REPUBLICAN Pay.

SAYS SPIRITS SWAYED HIM

Mishawaka Educator Under Some Mysterious Influence.

CAUSED HIM TO LEAVE HOME

President Kelly of Mishawaka Business College Returns After Several Months' Inexplicable Absence and Can Only Account for His Departure by the Declaration That His Mind Was Under the Sway of Some Mysterious Magnetic Influence Which He Was Powerless to Resist.

Mishawaka, Ind., Nov. 28.—Bert C. Kelley, president of the Mishawaka business college, who disappeared mysteriously from this city on Aug. 7, has returned. His case is a peculiar one. Kelley tells a remarkable story of mental affection. He is unable to give a reason for deserting the institution he had built up here. He admits that he planned to leave Mishawaka, but asserts that some mysterious influence overpowered him, and that his mind was like a docile child in the sway of that magnetic spirit.

Kelley is an able instructor in phonography, and is a master of the pen in writing and sign work, besides being recognized as an expert accountant. He left the city without any apparent reason, and his return, nearly four months later, is as unexpected as was his departure. His wife has been suffering from nervous prostration since Kelley left, and has been at times in a serious condition.

HAVEN'T CLASSIFIED IT

Fairmount Naturalists Puzzled Over Bones of Monster.

Fairmount, Ind., Nov. 28.—That southeastern Grant county was, ages ago, a vast morass into which many huge beasts floundered, is shown by the discovery of the bones of prehistoric animals. A few days ago, while searching for a blind ditch, Frank Mart, a farmer, found beneath the soil on his farm east of this city the bones of animal which has not yet been classified. Though some of the bones are missing, enough have been found to indicate that the animal was eight or nine feet long and four feet high. The jawbone contains a tusk nine inches long. The bones were found at the top of a large beaver dam.

The find recalls the discovery of the skeleton, a few miles east of the Mart farm, three years ago, of one of the largest mammoths ever found in the world. This skeleton was almost intact. It was purchased by the Metropolitan museum of New York city, which paid the discoverers of the bones \$1,000 for them. They are now mounted and form one of the finest specimens of the museum.

Night Riders Destroy Tobacco.

Homestead, Ind., Nov. 28.—A barn belonging to Frank Little and containing \$1,000 worth of tobacco was burned last night, presumably by night riders. The tobacco was the property of H. Probst and a Mr. Kinrod. Thirty-five tons of hay and several farming implements, property of Little, were destroyed. An effort to find the incendiaries has so far proved unsuccessful. Two strangers were seen about the barn yesterday by Probst, the tenant, but he gave them little attention. Mr. Probst now believes the men were members of a band of night riders who planned the destruction of the tobacco.

Policeman Kills Burglar.

Indianapolis, Nov. 28.—Edward Pruitt, a merchant policeman, came upon a burglar in the act of breaking into a grocery at Eastern avenue and Washington streets. The burglar struck him a stunning blow over the head with an iron instrument. Pruitt, however, was not too dazed to whip out his revolver and fire three shots, two of which took effect, felled the burglar and caused his death. The burglar was Edward Fitzgerald, fifty years old, who had served a term in the Michigan City penitentiary for burglary.

Plucky Boy Saved Baby's Life.

Jasper, Ind., Nov. 28.—Three-year-old Clarence Dillon was saved from being burned to death at Ire and by the timely arrival of Roy Witsman, twelve years old, who was on his way home from school. It is said that the Dillon boy was playing with matches in a shed adjoining John H. Keisteln's barn. When the fire was discovered by the Witsman boy it had gained much headway and just after he rescued the little fellow the overhead timbers fell.

Teachers Adjourn Today.

Evansville, Ind., Nov. 28.—The annual convention of the Southwestern Indiana Teachers association in session here adjourned this afternoon after a very successful and interesting meeting, in which about 1,500 teachers participated. The Southwestern Teachers' association is one of the first of its kind to be organized in the state and embraces the teachers of about eighteen counties in this corner of the state.

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EARLY in December the Washington hotels and boarding houses will begin to reap their share of the new era of prosperity, when good digestion waits on appetite.

It is officially announced that Frank H. Hitchcock, chairman of the republican national committee, is to be the postmaster general in the cabinet of the new administration.

THE Christmas shopper is preparing a list and is looking for suggestions in the store news column. If you sell Christmas goods and are not telling the people about them you will not get your share of this desirable trade. The REPUBLICAN will help you.

Skating rink open tonight.

Franklin is to have a new \$40,000 high school building.

Former Seymour Man.

The Santa Fe (Kansas) Monitor tells of the death of Robert G. Newby, who was a well known resident of Seymour years ago. He died near Santa Fe November 13, 1908, and was buried there November 15. The deceased will be remembered by the older residents of this city. He located here soon after the war and resided here continuously until he went west in 1884. He was a blacksmith and his shop was on Third street where Knoles Mann's livery barn now is. His home was on north Ewing street. He was the son of Elisha Newby and wife and was born in Park county, Ind., Dec. 4, 1830. In 1850 he was married to Martha E. Patrick near Waynesville, and she survives him. Besides the widow he leaves one son and three daughters. He served in the civil war a member of the 4th Indiana cavalry. He was a Master Mason for fifty years and was a regular attendant at lodge when he lived here.

Lard at Nichter's, 10 cents a pound. n28d

FOR SALE—Female bird dog. Dr. B. S. Shiness. n28dtf

Work has been begun on the new Carnegie library at Greenfield.

A number of young people of the city, and a few out of town guests enjoyed a dance at Society Hall Friday evening.

Miss Vawter, of Cincinnati, who has been the guest of Miss Mabel Shields since Wednesday, returned home Friday afternoon.

Golden Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Huffman are celebrating their fiftieth wedding anniversary today and are receiving their friends from two o'clock to six o'clock this afternoon at their home on N. Poplar street. They have been residents of Seymour many years and have a wide circle of friends. Mr. Huffman's work as Indiana Baptist S. S. Missionary for more than twenty years took him to all parts of the state and this work made for him and Mrs. Huffman many friends throughout Indiana. Their neighbors and their friends here and elsewhere who hold them in such high esteem, extend to them congratulations today and wish them many more years of happiness and usefulness.

Successful Meeting.

The series of meetings now being held at the First Christian church, conducted by Rev. Harley Jackson of Seymour, will close next Sunday night. These meetings have been very successful, and up to the time of going to press there had been twenty-four additions to the church as a result of Rev. Jackson's labor here. He is a very earnest and forceful speaker, and devotion to the cause, made many warm friends and materially strengthened the church.—Mitchell Commercial.

Evangel Missionary Meeting.

The Evangel Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will hold their annual praise meeting Saturday evening November 28 at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mr. M. S. Blish. The program will be in charge of the men of the church. All members of the congregation are cordially invited. Refreshments will be served.

First M. E. Church.

Sunday School at 9:15 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., conducted by the pastor. Interesting subjects, good music and special blessings for all who who attend. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. You are most cordially invited to attend these services.

First Baptist Church.

Bible school 9:15 a. m. B. Y. P. U. 6:30 p. m. Divine worship at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Subject for morning—"Apostolic Preaching and the 20th Century." Evening subject—"The Unknown Depths of Sin." Public cordially invited to these services.

Central Christian Church.

Services at the usual hours tomorrow. Rev. L. A. Winn will fill the pulpit for the pastor, Rev. Harley Jackson, who is conducting a meeting at Mitchell. The public is cordially invited to these services.

Mrs. N. H. Tabb and her aunt arrived here from Gallipolis, O., this afternoon. Mrs. Tabb's husband is one of the proprietors of the Tabb & Tabb grocery purchased of E. L. Hancock.

Mrs. John Leyhan returned to Washington this morning after a short visit with relatives and friends here.

B. H. Henderson, liveryman at Freetown, came over this morning to transact some business.

New Books.

Books added to Seymour Public Library.

The River Man—Stewart E. White. Annabel Channice—Anne D. Sedgwick.

In Calverts Valley—M. P. Montague.

The Lady of the Fog—Ralph H. Barbour.

Madame Chrysanthemum—Pierre Kote.

Tales of Laughter—Kate D. Wiggin.

The Revolt of Anne Royle—Helen R. Martin.

Every Man For himself—Norman Duncan.

Wrath—A. & E. Castle.

Ben Logan's Triumph—Horatio Alger.

ENVELOPES—Another case of our popular Hoosier XXX Envelopes for business use just received. They are the best envelope on the market for the money. 1000, \$2.00; 2000, \$3.50; 3000, \$5.00; 5000, \$7.50. Reorders are numerous for these envelopes. That indicates their merit. THE DAILY REPUBLICAN. d3d

Mrs. N. H. Jepson returned to her home at Washington this afternoon after a visit here with her daughter Mrs. Harry Smith, of North Chestnut street.

Sherman Hall, trustee of Vernon township, was in the city today transacting business and attending the teachers' association.

Otis Hays, of the Pleasant Grove neighborhood, came in on the Southern Indiana this morning.

Chief of Police Moritz took Leslie Wallace to Brownstown Friday to lay out a fine and jail sentence.

BIG NEWSPAPER DEAL

John C. Shaffer, Has Bought Reid Interest in Star League.

Indianapolis, Nov. 28.—Announcement has been made here by John C. Shaffer of Chicago that he has bought Daniel G. Reid's interests in the Star league of newspapers, including the Indianapolis, Muncie and Terre Haute Stars. Although there was no announcement to that effect, it is presumed that with the coming of Shaffer will go the rumors of the last four years that Reid intended to use his newspapers to boost him into the United States senate from Indiana. Reid started his successful career in Indiana as a captain of high finance, and it was a favorite theme among the political dreamers in this state that he bought the Star league papers to lay the foundation of a candidacy for the United States senate. First it was rumored that he would try to succeed Senator Beveridge. Next it was said that he would try to land the seat held by Senator Hemenway. But Reid and his millions never manifested themselves in Indiana politics in his behalf. Several months ago he applied for the appointment of a receiver on the ground that the league had failed to pay him \$221,000 due on a note. It was rumored at the time the suit was brought that Reid hoped to have A. A. McCormick, then manager of the properties, appointed receiver, but Judge Anderson of the federal court disregarded the requests of his attorneys and named George Hitt, business manager of the old Indianapolis Journal.

People in various parts of the state are getting in position to let their representatives know that they favor the election of John W. Kern. Representative Benjamin Mugg of Clay and Owen counties has asked his constituents to

respond in a straw vote by postal card to the Spencer Democrat relative to their preference for senator. This action has given the Kern supporters cause for rejoicing, they say, for they believe Kern sentiment is strong in that legislative district. Senator Burney W. Shafer of Grant, Blackford and Wells counties, who came out some time ago for Slack, is said to have told many of his constituents that he will be governed entirely by their desires in casting his vote, notwithstanding that he favors Slack. The friends of Major Menzies are positive in their assertions that the Democratic party and its organization throughout the First district is solidly supporting the Mt. Vernon man, and there is no lukewarmness on the part of the organization at Evansville. Both Republican and Democratic papers over the district are coming out strong for Menzies. Local interest in the senatorial race was revived yesterday by the appearance in the city of State Senator Stephen B. Fleming of Fort Wayne, who is supporting Edward Hoffman, and John E. Lamb of Terre Haute. According to his friends, Mr. Lamb's candidacy is growing steadily. Mason J. Niblack, an attorney of Vincennes and a member of the state board of agriculture is being talked of as a possible dark horse. Niblack was formerly speaker of the house of representatives.

Seymour Temperatures.

The following are the maximum and minimum temperatures as shown by the government thermometers at the Seymour volunteer weather observation station and reported by J. Robert Blair, observer. The figures are for twenty-four hours ending at noon:

	MAX	MIN
November 28, 1908,	50	37



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Our Basement is a Land of Toys. Thousands of miles this toy army, now invading this store, has traveled—over mountains from the heart of Germany and over land again—before it landed here. What a joy to get first peep of the new things as they pop out of their boxes. If you bring your mothers, fathers or grown up sisters or brothers, children, you can try yourself how many things work—a special privilege that we know will not be abused.

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The Hub

PERSONAL.

Neva Hunsucker was here from Vallonia Friday.
Anna Fitzgibbon, of Sparksville, was here Friday.
S. J. Brewer of Vallonia was in this city over night.
F. Gwinn, of Shoals, was in the city Friday evening.
C. B. Lewis, of Crothersville, was in the city over night.
J. F. Kelley, of Crothersville, was in Seymour over night.
Ida Southerland of Medora was here Friday afternoon.
O. O. White of Crothersville was in the city Friday afternoon.
Edna C. Wright of Orleans was in Seymour Friday afternoon.
Lawrence A. Johnson, of Crothersville, was in the city Friday night.
Mrs. William Hyland made a business trip to North Vernon this morning.
Deputy County Clerk Willard Stout came up from Brownstown this morning.
C. V. Weddell of Medora was here Friday attending the teachers association.
County Commissioner Samuel Carr, of Medora, came up this morning on No. 4.
Miss Margaret Phelan is here from Indianapolis on a brief visit with her parents.
Frank J. Smith, master mechanic at the Washington shops, was in this city Friday evening.

Mr. Cain, the special pension examiner, made a business trip to North Vernon this morning.
D. V. Phelan and Gus Phelan have returned to Louisville after a brief visit with home folks.

Alfred Reynolds and his daughter Miss Anna Reynolds came up from Tampico Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Thompson were passengers to Indianapolis Friday afternoon over the traction line.

Miss Peachie Hawkins of Mooney and Miss Carrie Sweeney were here to attend the teachers Association.

Attorney Ralph H. Spaulgh of Columbus was here last evening on business with Senator Carl E. Wood.

Miss Bertha Feagans returned Friday afternoon from a visit with friend at Louisville and at Washington.

Mrs. Barbara Hill and two daughters, of North Hill street, were passengers to Indianapolis this morning.

Miss Bessie Downing, of the Hoosier grocery, spent Thanksgiving with relatives and friends near Tampico.

Miss Mollie Brokoff, of Hiawatha, Kan., arrived in this city Friday evening on a short visit with relatives.

Mrs. Sherman Perry and daughter, Nelle, of Seymour, are the guests of Mrs. Otto Perry.—Columbus Republican.

Miss Anna Abel returned to Oxford College Friday afternoon after spending a short Thanksgiving vacation here with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Wilson of Jeffersonville spent Thanksgiving in this city the guests of Mrs. Rebecca Elliott and daughter, Miss Esther.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Riehm, of Louisville, arrived last evening to spend a couple of days with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Phelan of N. Ewing street.

Mrs. W. H. Reynolds and little daughter, of Loogootee, who have been the guests of Miss Nina Ewing since Thursday, returned home this morning.

Frank Zabel, of Brownstown, spent Thanksgiving evening with friends in this city and attended the entertainment given by the Lutheran Aid Society.

Clarence Morgan and Miss Ruth Moritz went to Columbus Thursday to be present at a Thanksgiving dinner given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Omer Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. George Nienaber and daughter Ruth, were here from Columbus, Thanksgiving Day, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Holtman, of S. Walnut street.

Sim Watkins was a passenger to Louisville on the late train Friday afternoon. Mrs. Watkins is still visiting his relatives at that place where she has been for the past week.

Mrs. F. X. Johnson and son, Cecil Wheeler made a business visit to Freetown yesterday. Mr. Wheeler returned today to his home at Galveston Texas, having been called here by the death of F. X. Johnson, his stepfather.—Mitchell Commercial.

Dr. and Mrs. L. B. Hill returned Friday evening from Hanover where they attended the wedding of their niece Miss Mbessa Hill and Prof. George Clarence Lindsay of St. Louis Mo. Prof. Lindsay is the teacher of Spanish in the St. Louis schools.

Miss Alice Luckey, who is a student in Purdue University at Lafayette, came home to spend Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Luckey and family, of near Reddington, and attending the meeting of the teachers' association today.

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Jonathan Robertson, of Brownstown, was in the city Friday.

L. C. Gillespie, of Crothersville, attended the teachers' institute here Friday.

Miss Jennie Garis, milliner at Brownstown, was in this city Friday evening.

Charles Phelan is home from Indiana University on a brief visit with his parents.

Walter Droege and Will Christie spent Thursday evening with friends in Brownstown.

Carl Breitfield attended the opening of the new skating rink at Brownstown Thursday evening.

Thos. V. Pruitt, a teacher in the Brownstown schools, is here attending the teachers' association.

Mrs. Theodore Carter went to Indianapolis Wednesday to spend several days with relatives and friends.

Fenton Loudon was at Brownstown Thursday evening and attended the opening of the new skating rink.

Mrs. Taylor Thompson, of Bardstown, Ky., who has been visiting her son, Ferd Green and family, went to Medora today to see her father.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis and son and two daughters, of Chestnut Ridge, got off the fast train from the south this morning and took the next inter-urban car back home.

Harlan Gruber, of Redding township, was here this morning.

James Blair who has been sick for several days is better today.

Charles Fox, of near Reddington, was in the city this morning.

Balaam Lett, of Surprise, spent a few hours in the city today.

James Luckey, of the Reddington neighborhood, was in town this morning.

Otto Wentz came down from Indianapolis Wednesday evening to spend a few days with friends.

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An expert in drawing need not necessarily be an artist—he may be a dentist instead.

You can't judge the brutality of some people by the horsepower of their automobiles.

A Grand Army veteran has married. We hope it will not prove a case of re-enlistment.

Twenty thousand dollars was paid yesterday for a collection of butterflies. Verily riches have wings.

There are few chances of becoming a hero nowadays unless you get into the fire department, or marry a chorus lady.

The four Singer children of Pittsburg divided \$16,000,000 among them the other day. For this quartet life is a song.

A New Jersey court decides that it is not unlawful for a man to swear at his wife. Perhaps not, but many find it dangerous.

The man who prides himself on always saying what he thinks, seldom succeeds in saying anything any one else wants to hear.

Some day, perhaps, science will evolve the perfected automobile tire. Up to date it still lacks several thousand miles of having done so.

You may have observed that an office-seeker is a man who shakes the voter's hand before the election and shakes the voter afterward.

A discharged laborer caused some German contractors to lose \$875,000. As this does not get him another job, it is hard to figure where his joy comes in.

Necessity being the mother of invention, it is likely that the woman who invented the "hookless waist" has a husband who rebelled and "jumped his job."

That's a wise doctor who says that it's the comfortable old shoes, not the tight, new ones, which hurt women's feet. He ought to do a rushing business.

"Asthma and society" drove an old man West to begin life over again among strangers. Of course asthma sometimes demands heroic treatment, but he could have escaped from society by merely disposing of his automobile.

It is said that there is enough coal in Alaska to put off the fuel famine from the exhaustion of coal which had been predicted at the end of the present century. This news will be a great relief to present coal consumers who have been alarmed over what they had to expect in about ninety years.

It was from New York that Horace Greeley advised the young man to "Go West!" The advice now comes from three thousand miles farther eastward, and is addressed by Israel Zangwill to an audience of Jews in London. He told his fellow religionists the other day that they ought to migrate to the Western States of America, where there is room for them.

German interests in Argentina and Brazil are so great that German capitalists have decided it is worth while investing six and a half million dollars in a new telegraph cable connecting the fatherland with South America. The imperial government will protect the investors from loss. This is one of the ways by which the ties between the Germans abroad and those at home are preserved, as well as one of the methods adopted for fostering the expansion of German commerce.

During the current fiscal year, which began with July, the Department of Agriculture will expend fifteen million dollars. When one compares this sum with four million dollars which was spent in 1902, one gets an idea of the rate at which this department is growing. With the possible exception of the Postoffice Department, no other department comes so near to the people, and none touches the ordinary citizen on so many sides. The forestry service, the bureau of animal industry, the testing of foods, the study and prediction of the weather, the development of new plants, the building of roads, the crop reports—these are only a few of the many ways in which this department is helping the people of the whole country. One item of ten thousand dollars to be spent this year may result in the saving of millions. It will be used for testing plants believed to be suitable for paper-making.

The Wall street evils of which the public complains are not in morals, but in economics. If the stock exchange were simply a place where 1,100 brokers matched dollars among themselves the community at large would not be

affected. But what the stock exchange does is to gamble with the capital and resources of the United States, to fix, as at present, rates of interest artificially low in order to boom stock prices, and at other times to bid interest rates to absurd heights, to the injury of commerce and industry. Its demoralizing effects come from the fluid capital of the United States being used for gambling purposes and taken from legitimate industry. The morals of Wall street, whether by day or night, are matters of little more public interest than the personal habits of book-makers.

Bishop Frank M. Bristol declared at the Rock River Methodist conference in Chicago that the superannuates' fund is the easiest one to get money for. Undoubtedly this is true, at a gathering of preachers. It is to be hoped that Bishop Bristol's assertion is becoming generally true of the Methodist laity. There are signs that it is. There are reasons for the indifference toward the claims of the worn-out preachers which has been largely complained of, and for the awakening from that indifference which is now becoming manifest. Many laymen have not realized that, while there are in this country as wide opportunities as there ever were for young men, and wider, there is not the chance there once was for men past middle life to attain material success in a new calling. This change comes inevitably when the wilderness is conquered and the land really populated. Then, again, many laymen have had their interest, not in religion, but in the church and its condition, cooled by the attitude of some conspicuous preachers, and their numerous imitators, toward themselves and their business. When the preacher becomes a lecturer, apparently striving to preach everything but the gospel, denying the authority of his office, and asking to be taken simply as a man in his profession, others cannot be blamed for judging him on his individual merits, just as they do men in other professions, and losing respect for the divine calling which the preacher has virtually repudiated. There is an increasing public consciousness of the change in material conditions which makes it almost impossible for a man past middle life who has not achieved reasonable success in his calling to change it for a new one. And there is a growing public awakening to the truth that the Christian ministry, to be worth while, must be not merely a profession chosen like the lawyer's or the engineer's, but a response to a divine call to deliver a message which its bearer cannot know and be silent about. With the purging of the ministry that is slowly but surely going on—with its increasing restriction to men who know they have the message, as evidenced by that very decline of candidates for it so much lamented—there should come a new birth of respect for the real preacher of the gospel—for the man who must and does preach the gospel because he cannot be silent without feeling himself a traitor to himself and to God. And so the claims of the worn-out preacher, whose devotion to his mission and his message has led him to live for his faith, and that alone, through all the years until old age comes and he can do no more, are pressing home to the hearts and souls of men as they never did before.

Reluctant English Courtesy.

That gifted publicity man, A. Toxin Worm, made the preposterous claim in London last winter that he would see to it that there was no "booing" of the actors at the opening performance by E. H. Sothern. This popular English diversion consists of bellowing through the hands and no "first night" is supposed to be complete without vocal interruptions.

On the night of Mr. Sothern's first performance some forty-five evil-looking men, bearing blackjacks in their sleeves were distributed throughout the gallery and pit. There was no interruption from the audience that night, but only the occasional dull thud of blackjacks upon knuckles. Every hand that was raised as a preliminary to the "booing" process received a quick blow. Mr. Worm says that he never saw so many limp hands and so many bewildered faces assembled in any one place as he saw that first night among the crowd that left the theater.

At the close of the week that dignified journal, the Times, commented gravely upon the growing courtesy of English audiences toward American actors, and witnessed the case of six productions by Mr. Sothern without a single "boo."—Success Magazine.

Self-Evident.

Once when Chauncey Olcott was in Ireland he visited the wishing well at Killarney with two plain, elderly spinsters. Beside the well sat an old Irish woman, who looked up into Mr. Olcott's handsome face and asked:

"That are you wishing for?"

"What do you think I wish for?" he good naturedly inquired.

"Och, thin, for a beautiful young swateheart, of course," she said.

He pointed to the two spinsters, who stood at a little distance, and said:

"Don't you see that I have two with me?"

"Ah, thin it's the grace o' God you're wishin' for," replied the sympathetic old woman.—New York Times.

It is as bad to give a compliment with a "but" attachment, as it is to give a present and grumble about the cost of it.

No doubt economy is a great virtue, but some people have a lot of money they never have any use for.

DANCING WITH THE FEET ON THE CEILING.



A REMARKABLE FIGURE IN A TYROLESE DANCE.

By courtesy of Mr. W. A. Baillie-Grohman, the well-known expert on Tyrol and Tyrolean, we are enabled to illustrate a remarkable figure in an equally remarkable dance. Mr. Baillie-Grohman describes the movement as follows in his book, "Tyrol and the Tyrolean": "In Brandenburg, and one or two other Tyrolean valleys which boast of a particularly muscular fair sex, the girl at the conclusion of her swain's fantastical jumps catches hold of him by his braces and hoists him up bodily, aided, of course, by a corresponding jerky action of her partner, and while he, balancing himself with both hands on her shoulders, treads the ceiling of the low room to the tune of the music, she continues her dance round the room, displaying a strength and power that can only be appreciated if one has seen the strapping six-foot fellows that are thus handled by their fair partners." Such dances are rapidly falling into disuse, and it is well-nigh impossible for the ordinary tourist to witness one nowadays.—Illustrated London News.

SOME CHINESE MILLS ARE CRUDE

Beans or Grain Dumped Into Hollow Piece of Masonry and Rolled.

China in the interior of the empire presents many odd sights to the traveler. In some sections the mills for the grinding of cereals, while not up to the standard of European and American plants, are fairly well equipped, but far inland, where the forces of civilization have not made material headway, the "mills" present a ludicrous sight to the one familiar with the 12,000-barrel plants in the flour centers of the United States.

Grinding beans in the interior of China is a laborious job. A stack of

holes are excavated for an entirely different purpose. The woodpecker is a provident bird. At the proper season it stores up a supply of acorns and other foods for future consumption. In the summer these holes are often stocked with acorns.

Many methods for preventing this damage have been suggested, but probably the most successful is preservation with creosote. A line of creosoted poles, opposite the one near Covington, was examined and not a single hole was found. When it is considered that creosote will not only prevent the damage caused by the woodpecker, but also protect the pole indefinitely against



PRIMITIVE STONE FOR GRINDING PURPOSES.

round masonry is set up and hollowed. The beans or grain is dumped in and then rolled to the proper degree of coarseness or otherwise. Two persons operate the roller and, like the Indians, the men have no scruples against assigning the women to the task, a task comparable only with the treadmill.

BIRD BORERS TROUBLESOME.

They Have Been Ruining Telephone Poles in the South.

Birds are destroying the telephone and telegraph poles in the south and southwest, particularly in Texas, Arizona and California. In some places 50 per cent of all the poles along the right of way have been riddled by these little offenders, which belong to the woodpecker family, says the Washington Star.

One of the Western Union officers who returned recently from an inspection tour through the west saw twenty-five telephone poles with 200 or 300 holes drilled through them. Some of the holes were three or four inches in diameter.

An officer of the Illinois Central railroad counted the white cedar telephone poles along the right of way near Covington, Tenn., which had been affected by woodpeckers, and found that out of 208 poles 110, or 41 per cent, had been bored.

In some cases destruction of the pole takes only a few months and its weakened condition makes it dangerous for a lineman to climb.

The real object of the birds in drilling the holes is uncertain. One telephone man said that the humming of the wires was mistaken by the birds for insects excavating beneath the surface of the wood and that they drilled the holes in quest of an imaginary prey. It is probable, however, that the

MRS. FISH ON WOMEN.

Noted Society Leader Says a Good Husband is Better Than a Vote.

One of the leaders in American society is Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish, whose husband, a prominent financier, is the son of Hamilton Fish, President Grant's secretary of state. She was before her marriage Miss Marian G. Anthon and has been for many years prominent in the society of New York and Newport. Recently Mrs. Fish returned home after a long motoring tour in Europe and at once submitted to an interview, which is of particular interest to women, or, at least, to that portion of the sex which is striving for woman suffrage. Mrs. Fish does not believe in woman suffrage.

"America," she said, "is the greatest country in the world. We are the greatest in our style, our dress, the grace and beauty of our women, our mode of life even, and our men. I have seen life on both sides of the Atlantic, and my opinion is the result of observations here and abroad.

"It is rather a strange thing that I saw nothing of the suffragette or the movement for women's suffrage either



MRS. STUYVESANT FISH.

in England or in Paris. No, I am not thinking of enrolling in the suffragette ranks. Why should I? A woman's rights?

"I believe that a good husband is the best right of any woman. Of course, I make the proviso that she can get a good one, and she can if she isn't foolish.

"Woman's power in the world is tremendous, especially if she exercises that power for good. What more could she do, even if 'rights' were given her? Through her husband and her children she has always a great and a constantly increasing power for good. She influences her husband; the two minds work together, and through the man she sends out her power to influence for good or evil. Isn't hers a greater power than the vote?

"I don't believe that women as voters would be as easily bribed as the men. They might be influenced by jewelry or through clothes or even the heart, but by money—never. But I do not believe in suffrage or that women would be any better if they had the power to vote.

New Maine Industries.

Though the Maine farmer has food and clothing enough for immediate wants of himself and family, though he pays no rent and never knows the tight pinch of poverty that is often felt in the tenement districts of the big cities, he frequently lacks for ready money and in order to relieve this condition he resorts to various expedients, says the Philadelphia Record.

In the last dozen years a score or more of new industries have been undertaken in rural Maine. There are five times as many hens kept in Maine today as there were ten years ago. Three large firms are canning rabbits for shipment. Ten years ago a man couldn't sell rabbits for ten cents a carload. There are three condensed milk factories, more than eighty creameries and over 100 corn and apple canning establishments in active operation where there was not one twenty years ago.

Popcorn in the ear is shipped from Maine now by the carload. Ten years ago more than half of the corn that was popped in Maine was raised in New York and Massachusetts. One county in Maine has increased its yield of potatoes by over 5,000,000 bushels within the decade. Last blocks, handles for axes, hammers, brushes and brooms, veneers of hardwood, excelsior, starchy by the trainload, canned blueberries by the shipload, canned clams and bottled clam juice, sealed jars of sweet sardines by the million are also among the new articles which Maine produces and sends away for sale.

The Worst.

"Doctor, you may as well be frank with me. Tell me the worst," said the patient nervously.

"I can do nothing for you," said the doctor, calmly, but firmly.

"Nothing."

"Absolutely nothing. There's nothing the matter with you."

Greatly relieved, the patient went out in the back yard and sawed wood.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Reliable.

"Rufus, you old loafer, do you think that it's right to leave your wife at the wash tub while you pass your time fishing?"

"Yessah, jedge, 's all right. Mah wife don' need no watchin'. She'll sholy wuk jes' ez habd ez ef Ah wuz dar."—Judge.



The largest clock in the world, weighing a ton and a half, is in the tower of Glasgow University. The hammer weighs 120 pounds and the pendulum 800 pounds.

Moscow will soon have a belt line railroad, nearly nine miles in length, tapping all the present lines that radiate from the city and serving a number of factories now distant from any line.

The Italian government is experimenting with small fish found in Barbados waters, which are said to feed on the larvae of small insects which spread malaria, in an effort to prevent the disease.

In trying to find a dustless road material experts of the Department of Agriculture are experimenting with combinations of blast furnace slag with asphalt or tar and of refuse molasses with sand, rock dust or earth.

To burn out weeds between rows of cane or other crops a Hawaiian planter mounted a gasoline tank on wheels and from it led a number of pipes terminating in burners, from which the cane was protected by sheet iron shields.

A little book, called "The Care for the Goat," has recently attracted some attention in England. The writer urges that great advantage would be found by small proprietors, laborers and rural residents in keeping goats, "the poor man's cow." Goat's milk, he says, often possesses twice the richness of cow's milk, is very valuable for children, and may be practically guaranteed as free from the bacillus of tuberculosis. Goats are cheap and cheaply kept, since they readily find food and they demand little room.

A curious result of the great California earthquake of 1906 was the permanent displacement of large areas covered by the triangulation of the Coast and Geodetic Survey, so that the lengths and directions of the lines joining the stations were sufficiently changed to diminish the value of the triangulation as a framework for future surveys. During the past year a new triangulation has been made over the disturbed area, and corrected positions have been determined for 61 of the old stations between Point Arena and the neighborhood of Monterey Bay.

A few years ago much interest was aroused in Berlin by "Kluge Hans," a horse that was able to perform many feats which seemed to show its possession of extraordinary intelligence. Among other things "Hans" would reply to questions by nods of the head, resolve arithmetical problems, apparently understand words by reading them, indicate the date, distinguish inharmonious chords in music, and so forth. Many learned men examined the horse, and were puzzled to explain the phenomenon, although none believed that it possessed quasi-human intelligence. A book has now been published about "Kluge Hans" by Oskar Pfungst, who was charged by a scientific commission to investigate the animal's performances. Since the horse could perform its feats in the absence of its master, Mr. Pfungst concludes that it must have taken its cues from unconscious movements of the heads and eyes of questioners. But even this implies that "Hans" was a very smart horse.

Czarina Is Shy.

The czarina of Russia is said by people who know her well to be very shy, and to usually sit with her eyes cast down. When she does look up on being addressed or wishing to speak to any one, she scarcely ever does so without a quick glance and flush of shrinking diffidence. You then cannot help thinking what a pity it is to so constantly hide such large and beautiful eyes as hers. Soft and brilliant blue gray they are, and fringed with long dark lashes. Exceptionally tall and slight, she is noted for the marvelous fineness of her proportions, and her face is beautiful in its Greek contour of feature, especially in profile, when one sees the continuous straight line of forehead and nose to perfection. Her expression has been described by a celebrated artist who had the honor of painting her portrait as one of "singularly sweet wistful sadness." Her hair, which is bronzed in shade is luxuriant and long, and in its striking beauty makes a fitting crown to the charming ensemble of face and figure.—Russian Dispatch.

Women and Men.

"Do you know the thing that strikes me as most remarkable here in Chicago," said the visitor from the old country, "is this: You see such tall, exquisite and beautiful women with such little puny, insignificant men. I was at the Auditorium the other day. Really, it was distressing. The women looked like fair, white ships of sail being towed along by tugboats."

Plausible Theory.

"The Italian girl graduate can't very well say, 'Beyond the Alps lies Italy.' Wonder what she does for a substitute?"

"Says, 'Beyond Ellis Island lies America,' maybe."—Kansas City Times.

Must Have Been.

"Why do you think that the man who tried to hold you up was an amateur?"

"Because, when I grabbed him he hollered, 'Police! Help!'"—Houston Post.

A dog is as bad as a boy in pestering a cat.

SCIENCE FINDS the COLDEST COLD



Prof. H. Kammerlingh Onnes of Leyden has succeeded in liquefying helium.

Terrifying in its destructive aspects and appalling in its danger, yet intensely fascinating in its possibilities for benefiting the world, the latest explanation of chemical science has placed mankind literally within but a few degrees of the frozen pole of knowledge.

Heat is life; cold is annihilation. The final and absolute extremes of these are as yet heights so exquisite and depths so profound that they mock at once the lens and the plummet-line of human conception.

For the sake of convenience, however, science has established a purely arbitrary starting point for the measurement of heat and cold. This is called the "absolute zero," and is fixed at 459 degrees below the familiar zero mark of the Fahrenheit thermometer—a point which chemists have vainly sought to reach ever since Prof. Dewar most nearly approached it by his astonishing feat of liquefying air and hydrogen.

But even Dewar's greatest cold was hundreds of degrees from absolute zero. That was some ten years ago. Now comes news from the old town of Leyden in Holland—birthplace of the electric battery—that Prof. H. Kammerlingh Onnes of that city has succeeded in liquefying the rarest and most volatile of all gases. He has reduced helium to a visible fluid, determined its temperature and made the incredible discovery that it is but a fraction over four degrees from supposedly theoretical jumping-off place of Jack Frost.

In order to appreciate the vast significance of Prof. Onnes' achievement, it is only necessary to recall the means by which the air is kept at zero temperature in a cold storage warehouse. As everyone knows, evaporation causes cold. It is the evaporation of the water with which you bathe your face—not the temperature of the water itself—which produces the sensation of coolness.

According as the evaporation is slow or rapid, the cold produced is less or greater. So, in a cold storage plant, ammonia gas, which is extremely volatile, is allowed to evaporate, either directly into the air or it is released in the presence of brine (which freezes only at less than zero temperature) and the brine, taking the temperature of the evaporating ammonia, is then distributed in pipes throughout the establishment. Thus the desired degree of cold is imparted to the storage rooms.

Now fancy, if you can, a cold, compared with which the deadly chill from ammonia gas is hotter than boiling oil; call this the temperature of liquid hydrogen. Then, with this as a new point of departure, try to imagine a cold so profound that beside it liquid hydrogen itself is as a boiling oil, and the frozen heart of an ice plant is hotter than the bowels of a smelting furnace, and you have some conception of the temperature—if it can be called temperature—of liquefied helium.

Dr. H. T. Galpin, a well known authority on refrigeration, a member of the London Society of Chemical Industry, the American Chemical Society and the Society of Electrical Engineers, attempted to explain in non-technical language what the new discovery means to science and humanity.

"The liquefaction of helium," he said, "is of the most startling and far-reaching significance. It opens the door to possibilities of which students of refrigeration have long been aware, but which thus far have been beyond our reach in actual practice. It is apparent, for example, that if we can distribute ammonia chilled brine from

fection by some tax on his physical condition—some extra work which has depressed his bodily powers, some worry which has preyed upon his mind, some loss of sleep, some undue exposure to atmospheric changes, or some dietary indiscretion.

For indiscreet eating is one of the most prolific and yet the least recognized of all the predisposing causes of a cold.

Let the hearty eaters of rich food, who suffer from repeated colds, try a course of abstinence during the coming winter, and they will become convinced of the truth of these remarks. In this case the proof of the pudding is in the not eating of it.—Youth's Companion.

EMPTY HOUSES IN LONDON.

Fifty Thousand of Them at Present Said to Be Lacking Tenants.

Fifty thousand empty houses in London! John Burns made this startling announcement in the house of commons recently, says Tit-Bits. Large as this number is there are those who believe it is under rather than over the mark. A remarkable change has taken place during the past five or six years. Whereas, formerly landlords were masters of the situation, tenants have now the whip hand in nearly every district and are offered all manner of inducements to take houses.

It is not long since that a premium—or, what amounts to the same thing, "key money"—was demanded by property owners in some parts of London. Today numbers of such men will actually allow tenants a discount, which consists in the case of small property of the expenses of removal up to £1, or else of so many weeks' occupation free. Usually no rent is required for the first fortnight, but in certain localities the competition between property owners is so keen that the period in some cases is one month, making the discounts about £2 2s or £2 5s.

A more curious bait is free insurance. One company gratuitously insures each of its tenants against fire; while another, besides safeguarding the householder against this contingency, relieves him of apprehension respecting any damage to his furniture by lightning or flood.

Certain separate charges have also been swept away, particularly in the case of flats, which, it is said, are now a drug in the market. Some landlords, for instance, made one for the cleaning of the common staircase, this, with the "extra" for gas, amounting to about 1s 6d per week. The 1s 6d was really rent, and the reason it was not called such was partly to evade payment of rates. When this is an actual case—a man owned about fifty flats and returned their rent as 15 pence per week each less than it really was, his assessment was considerably lower than it ought to have been, and consequently he did not pay his due proportion of rates. But, of late "extras" have frequently been cut to the amount formerly set down as "rent."

REFUSE BURNING BASKET.

Device for Getting Rid of Household Accumulations.

"Oh, my! Whatever shall I do with all this rubbish?" exclaims the housekeeper, beholding a miscellaneous collection of papers, scraps and pasteboard boxes, the roundup of the regular weekly cleaning. "The ashman declines to take anything but ashes, the rubbish man picks out only such as he can find use for, and the second-hand man will have nothing but whole papers, and they must be clean, at that." This little monologue may be heard most anywhere. The conditions are about the same in any city of large or medium size. There is a great deal of accumulated material around a house which is quite difficult to dispose of. It might be burned, but an effort to dispose of the mass in an ordinary stove would more than likely lead to disaster, even if the stove is of suitable proportions to accommodate the collection. Most of them are not.

The housekeeper's quandary has led to the invention of a model device to be added to the equipment of the household. It is a refuse destructor, in which the accumulations of the household are to be disposed of by burning in the back yard without danger. The destructor is a basket of wire built on an iron frame, supporting it several inches above the ground. Into this the household accumulations are dumped, as well as the sweepings. A match applied soon reduces the big pile to a handful of dust. Such a device solves completely the problem of the disposal of a great deal of material.

A High Award.

"To you we award the palm." "Can't you give me something more lofty," asked the aviator, disdainfully. "I have flown so high that I consider the palm beneath me."—Kansas City Times.

There are a good many rabbits playing lion parts.

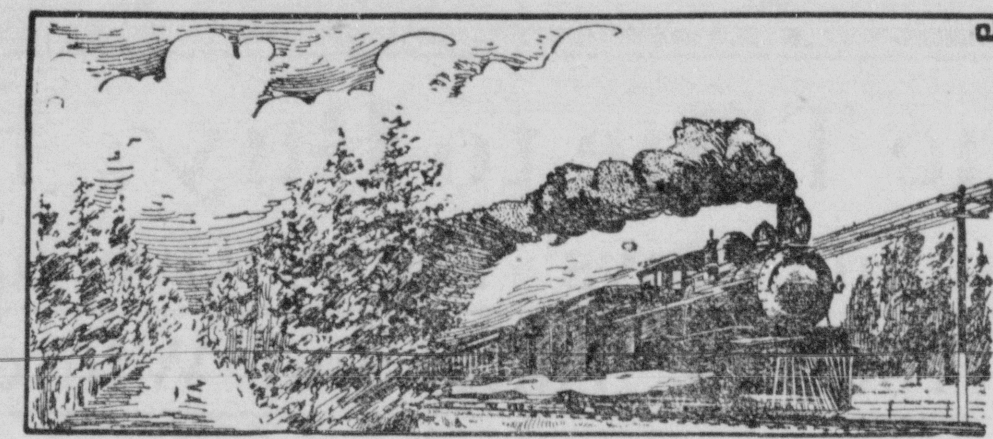
FIGHTING FOREST FIRES.

Arrested by Fire Lines—Injury to Soil by Burning of Vegetable Matter.

Of all the destructive agencies that attack the woodlands no other is so terrible as fire. Many parts of the country have experienced loss from fires that followed severe drought. The trees have in most cases been killed and where the soil was mucky the fires smoldered underground until all the vegetable matter was destroyed, leaving the hard clay or sand. Fires are often kindled along railroads by sparks from the locomotives. Settlers and farmers clearing land or burning brush often allow the fire to escape into the

[that only an expert can detect the difference.

Certain woods used in furniture construction are extremely expensive, owing to the difficulty of obtaining pieces with a good grain of sufficient size for working. Such, for instance, is Circassian walnut. This, which comes from the Ural mountains, is largely used in the form of veneers for chair backs, panels and tops in bedroom suits, table tops, etc., the balance of the piece of furniture being composed either of American or black walnut (natural finish) or of satin walnut, commonly known as red gum. The latter, while it does not often show the beautiful grain of the panel, is so



A fire line along a railway with two cleared spaces separated by a double row of trees intended to catch the sparks.

woods. The failure to extinguish camp fires is another frequent cause of bush fires. At whatever time of the year they appear their destructive power depends very much upon the wind. They cannot travel against it except when burning up hill and not even then if the wind is strong. The wind may give them strength and speed by driving them swiftly through unburned inflammable forests, or it may extinguish the fiercest fire in a short time by turning it back over its path where there is nothing to burn. Where there is but a thin covering of leaves and other waste on the ground a fire usually cannot burn very hotly or move very rapidly. The fires in most hardwood forests are of this kind. They seldom kill large trees, but they de-

near the color of plain Circassian walnut that only close scrutiny can detect the difference.

HOW HE FOUND A BIG NUGGET.

It Weighed About Five Pounds and Was Worth \$1,228.

Johnny Kearns, who has spent many years in the placer mines of the old Highland district, was in Butte recently, says the Anaconda Standard. Mr. Kearns achieved considerable distinction last winter when he discovered the largest nugget ever found in the Highland district, it netting him \$1,228 when it was sold in the assay office in Helena.

"I will tell you how I found it," he said to a reporter for the Standard



The work of forest fires. All the good soil has been burned away, leaving only white sand.

stroy seedlings and saplings and kill the bark of older trees near the ground.

Fire lines—strips kept free from all inflammable material by burning or otherwise—are very useful in checking small fires and of great value as lines of defense in fighting large ones. They are also very effective in keeping fires out of the woods, as for example along railroad tracks.

IMITATION OF HARD WOODS.

Mahogany and Oak Are Easily Simulated by the Manufacturers.

Perhaps no set of men appreciate the seriousness of the timber-supply question more than those engaged in the manufacture of furniture, says the New York Post. They have realized for some years that a pinch in the hardwood market is sure to come and they have succeeded in coping with the situation by the economical use of material by the practice of veneering and the imitation of highest-priced hardwoods.

During the last few years the great increase in the price of hardwoods has created a strong demand for wood which can be used in imitation. The two woods that are most successfully imitated are mahogany and oak, particularly the quartered oak in the golden and darker finishes. Almost without exception the manufacturer markets these imitations either as imitations or under some registered trade name and does not pretend to deceive his customers.

For imitating mahogany cherry was formerly used almost entirely, but the diminished supply and the increased price of this wood have led manufacturers to seek a substitute which would lend itself more readily to the stain than cherry and at the same time show the grain and hold the gloss. For these reasons birch, especially curly birch, maple, beech and gum are extensively used for all parts of furniture. Even in the better grades of mahogany furniture birch and maple stained to a mahogany finish are often used for posts and frames, while genuine mahogany in the form of veneer is used for panels, tops and rolls.

In making imitation quartered oak almost any wood can be used, since in this case the original grain of the wood is first covered with a filler and then the quartering is printed on in dark ink by the impression of actual quartered oak prepared by special processes. Birch, maple, poplar and plain sawed oak are commonly used for this work. After the wood has been finished and polished the imitation appears so real

Ways of French Waiters.

Three Americans traveling in the French provinces thought at dinner that they would go a little higher than the vin ordinaire included in their 3-franc table d'hôte, and accordingly one ordered a bottle of Margaux. The second ordered Pantet Canet. The third ordered Haut Brion. The waiter, suitably impressed with these orders, retired. But he incautiously as he retired left the door open, and thus it was that the three stupefied guests heard him give their order in these terms:

"Baptiste, three bottles of the red." In a Parisian cafe an American ordered a hors d'oeuvre, sole, agneau, pre-sale, artichoke salad, peche Melba and so on, and when the waiter brought him a bill of 30 francs he paid it like a man. After his change was brought he counted it and pushed a franc toward the waiter for a tip. But the man, pushing back the franc, said in gentle reproach:

"Pardon, monsieur, but that is the counterfeit franc."—San Francisco Argonaut.



"What part of the chicken will you have, Mr. Hallroom?" "Some of the meat, please."—Life.

Patience—That Miss Bellow is going to sing. Patrice—Oh, is she? What shall we talk about?—The Tatler.

Prospective Country Boarder—Is the water you have here healthy? Landlady—Yes, sir. We use only well water.—Boston Transcript.

Mrs. Henpeck—You were talking in your sleep last night, Henry. Mr. Henpeck—I beg your pardon, my dear, for having interrupted you.—Stray Stories.

Sillicus—What do you consider is the proper time for a man to marry? Cynicus—Oh, I suppose when he hasn't anything else to worry him.—Philadelphia Record.

Departing Guest—We've had a simply delightful time! Hostess—I'm so glad. At the same time I regret that the storm kept all our best people away.—Brooklyn Life.

Mrs. Bacon—This paper says that a man's hair turns gray about five years earlier than a woman's. Mr. Bacon—That is because a man wears his hair all the time.—Yonkers Statesman.

Elderly Uncle—Spent your entire patrimony, have you, Archibald? Gone through everything? Scapegrace Nephew—Yes, uncle, everything but the bankruptcy court.—Chicago Tribune.

Faddist Visitor—Are you allowed in this prison any exercise beneficial for your health? Convict—Oh, yes, ma'am. By advice of my counsel I have been skipping the rope.—Baltimore American.

"Do you play any instrument, Mr. Jimp?" "Yes, I'm a cornetist." "And your sister?" "She's a pianist." "Does your mother play?" "She's a zitherist." "And your father?" "He's a pestilist."

"If I were you," said the old bachelor to the benedict, "I'd either rule or know why." "Well," was the reply, "as I already know why, I suppose that's half the battle!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Dawson—The facial features plainly indicate character and disposition. In selecting your wife were you governed by her chin? Spellow—No; but I have been ever since we were married.—Boston Globe.

"Have you," asked the judge of a recently convicted man, "anything to offer the court before sentence is passed?" "No, your honor," replied the prisoner, "my lawyer took my last cent."—The Reporter.

Niece—Uncle, they say that there are more marriages of blondes than of brunettes. Why is it, I wonder? Uncle Singleton (a confirmed bachelor)—H'm! Naturally, the light-headed ones go first.—The Mirror.

Country Editor (out West)—This has been a lucky day for me. Faithful Wife—Has some one been in to pay a subscription? Editor—Well, no, wasn't as lucky as that; but I was shot at and missed.—New York Weekly.

"And do you like newspaper men?" he asked the little maid in a most condescending tone of voice. "I don't know," she replied, artlessly; "the only one I know is the one who brings our paper every morning."—Lippincott's Magazine.

Farmer Barker—I want to get a present to take home to my wife on the farm. Elegant Clerk—How would she like a pie knife? Farmer Barker—Good hand, young man! Ain't you never been told you mustn't eat pie with no knife?—New York Times.

The little girl was very fond of pleasant days, and at the close of a heavy rainstorm petitioned in her prayer for fine weather; when the next morning the sun shone bright and clear she became jubilant, and told her prayer to her grandmother, who said: "Well, dear, why can't you pray to-night that it may be warmer to-morrow so that grandma's rheumatism will be better?" "All right, I will," was the quick response; and that night as she knelt she said: "O Lord, please make it hot for grandma."

Grubb—I hear your last novel has already appeared in its sixth edition. How did you manage to become so phenomenally popular? Scrubb—Very simple. I put a "personal" in the papers saying that I was looking for a wife who is something like the heroine of my novel. Within two days the first edition was sold out.—Tit-Bits.

"Why, that's a regular little printing press, isn't it?" remarked the visitor. "Yes," replied Mrs. Poppley, "Willie's uncle gave it to him on his birthday." "What a complete little thing! It's self-inking, isn't it?" "I don't know; but Willie is."

"Now, Pat, would you sooner lose your money or your life?" "Why, me loife, yer reverence; I wan't me money for me old age."

Both Alike.

"How do you like this weather?" "Most disagreeable." "And how's your husband?" "Much the same, thanks."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

A woman says of every hired girl she ever has: "My, but she can make the butter fly!"

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HANDS ACROSS WIDE PACIFIC

United States and Japan Enter
Upon Agreement.

MUTUAL GUARANTY OF PEACE

Based on the Idea of Encouraging and Defending Free and Peaceful Commercial Development in the Pacific, the United States and Japan Have Entered Upon an Agreement Covering the Policy of the Two Countries in the Pacific and Declaring for Friendly Alliance.

Washington, Nov. 28.—Despite official reticence, information from reliable sources has been obtained of an agreement of far-reaching importance between the United States and Japan covering the policy of the two countries in the Pacific. The agreement is based on the idea of encouraging and defending free and peaceful commercial development in the Pacific. It contains not only a mutual guarantee to respect each other's territorial possessions there, but defines the attitude of the two countries toward China, binding each to defend by every peaceful means China's independence and integrity, and to give equal commercial opportunity in the Chinese empire to all nations. But more important still, the agreement in the event of complications threatening the status quo, binds the United States and Japan to consult each other with a view to acting together.

The agreement has been drawn up in the form of a declaration and consists of five articles, of which the following is an accurate and faithful description. The first article gives expression to the wish of the two governments to encourage the free and peaceful development of their commerce in the Pacific. The second is a mutual disclaimer of an aggressive design and contains also a definition of the policy of each government, both as directed to the maintenance of the existing status quo in the Pacific, and the defense of the principle of equal opportunity for commerce and industry in China. The third article contains a statement of the consequent "firm" reciprocal resolution of each government to respect the territorial possessions in the Pacific of the other. In the fourth article, the United States and Japan express their determination "in the common interest of all the powers" in China to support "by all peaceful means at their disposal" the independence and integrity of China and the principle of equal commercial and industrial opportunity for all nations in the empire. The fifth article mutually pledges the two governments, in case of the occurrence of any event threatening the status quo, as above described, or the principle of equal opportunity, as above defined, "to communicate with each other for the purpose of arriving at a mutual understanding with regard to the measures they may consider it useful to take."

STILL STIRRED UP

The Steinhil Case Keeps Parisians at Top Notch of Interest.

Paris, Nov. 28.—George Berry and Denys Cochin, Conservative members of the chamber of deputies, have announced their intention of interpellating the government on the attitude of the magistracy in the Steinhil case. This action is designed to raise the political side of the affair, with which the newspapers are becoming more and more occupied. Various new theories on the crime have been advanced since the arrest of Madame Steinhil, and there are many reports in circulation of impending important arrests.

Magistrate Andre has begun a new and completely independent investigation of the whole case, starting with a lengthy examination of Remy Couillaud, who was arrested last Saturday, charged with the murders, but subsequently released, and all the events connected with the discovery of the crime, particularly the position of the body of Madame Japy when it was found, and the manner in which it was bound to the bed.

Count Darton, whose name has been mentioned in connection with that of Mme. Steinhil, and at whose house in Paris Mme. Steinhil stayed for a few weeks after the murder of her husband, declared that she was an honest and an honorable woman. The count said, however, that he was convinced Mme. Steinhil was no longer possessed of her mental faculties, and he characterized the story that she was present at the death of Felix Faure as a base calumny. On the contrary, he declared, there was ample evidence to prove that she was at this time ill in her own home.

Two Boys in Deadly Duel.

Rome, Ga., Nov. 28.—After hunting together all day, Bert Montaine and John Accommassy, both about fourteen years old, engaged in a duel, as a result of which both may die. Montaine received a leg of shot in the abdomen and left leg and Accommassy's left arm was shot almost completely off. The boys were found lying by the side of the road. There were no eye-witnesses to the shooting.

Artist Recital

Majestic Theatre

Tuesday Evening,
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The Progressive Musicale Club,
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ARMY AND NAVY IN A GRIDIRON BATTLE

Much Gold Lace at Big Football Game Today.

Philadelphia, Nov., 28.—Wherever one looks into the crowd that jams the seats around Franklin field today one sees a uniform, either of the army or of the navy. From every corner of the earth in which Old Glory flies over a naval station or an army post the men who wear the blue have assembled here to see the West Point and Annapolis football eleven give battle to each other. All grades of the two services are represented, from ensign to rear admiral in the one and from second lieutenant to major general in the other. The gold laced officers of high rank share the attention of the vast crowd with the canvas clad pigskin chasers, but they are themselves too absorbed in the game to notice the attention they are getting.

It is the last big football game of the year that is being played here this afternoon and the culmination of the season for the two teams. For it Annapolis and West Point have reserved their best men and their secret plays. Each team has behind it this year a most creditable record and is keyed up to the highest pitch in the endeavor to wind up the year with victory over its dearest rival.

As the players of the two eleven trot out on the field the chief topic of discussion among the spectators is the wonderful defense which Annapolis is said to have perfected against the expected strong attack of the West Point team. The greatest care has been taken at Annapolis to keep the recent practice secret. The army, on the other hand, will rely today on the attack that enabled it to tear holes through the Villanova eleven last Saturday, rolling up a score of 25 points

to 0. It is hard, however, to figure an comfort for West Point out of a comparison of the West Point-Villanova score with the score of 30 to 6 made at Annapolis two weeks ago against Villanova.

The army has tied Princeton, 0 to 0 and has held Yale to a 6 to 0 score. The navy's record is possibly even better, as it tied Harvard, the score being 6 to 6. Despite this comparison of scores the betting has favored West Point.

James Murdock Dies Suddenly.
Lafayette, Ind., Nov. 28.—James E. Murdock, president of the Merchants' National bank of this city, and one of the wealthiest men in Indiana, dropped dead at his home here last night of heart disease. Mr. Murdock was seventy-one years old.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

Prevailing Current Prices for Grain and Livestock.

Indianapolis Grain and Livestock.
Wheat—Wagon, \$1.02; No. 2 red, \$1.05. Corn—No. 2, 61c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 49c. Hay—Clover, \$10.00 @ 11.00; timothy, \$12.50 @ 13.50; mixed, \$11.00 @ 11.50. Cattle—\$3.50 @ 7.00. Hogs—\$4.00 @ 6.00. Sheep—\$2.50 @ 4.00. Lambs—\$3.00 @ 5.50. Receipts—12,000 hogs; 1,900 cattle; 300 sheep.

At Cincinnati.
Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.08. Corn—No. 2, 65c. Oats—No. 2, 52c. Cattle—\$2.25 @ 5.65. Hogs—\$3.35 @ 5.75. Sheep—\$1.00 @ 3.50. Lambs—\$3.00 @ 5.50.

At Chicago.
Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.06. Corn—No. 3, 61½c. Oats—No. 2, 51c. Cattle—Steers, \$4.60 @ 8.00; stockers and feeders, \$2.50 @ 4.85. Hogs—\$5.30 @ 5.90. Sheep—\$4.00 @ 5.25. Lambs—\$4.75 @ 6.75.

Livestock at New York.
Cattle—\$2.50 @ 6.20. Hogs—\$5.00 @ 6.10. Sheep—\$2.25 @ 4.00. Lambs—\$4.50 @ 7.00.

At East Buffalo.
No market on account of government quarantine.

Wheat at Toledo.
May, \$1.09½; Dec., \$1.06½.

THE INTERNATIONAL STOCK SHOW OPENS

Much Interest Attaches to
Great Exhibition Today.

Chicago, Nov. 28.—Beginning today and lasting two weeks, the International Live Stock exposition held here will be the greatest event of the sort in the world's history, according to competent stockmen. From all parts of the United States and Canada and from Europe breeders of fine stock have sent their best specimens here to compete for valuable prizes. All the standard breeds of cattle, sheep, swine and horses are represented, and in addition there are exhibits of dressed meat, stock feeds, dairy and wool shearing apparatus, etc. The list of entries is the largest ever known in the annual expositions of the sort. All records have been broken in the nominations in the horse and cattle divisions. Nominations in the various divisions are as follows: Cattle, 1,239; sheep, 905; horses, 765; swine, 258; total, 3,167.

Although the stockmen assembled here for the exposition are delighted with the large number of entries, they expressed much disappointment over the determination of the federal agriculture department to prohibit the exhibit of cattle from Pennsylvania and New York owing to the prevalence of the foot and mouth disease in those states.

Manila, Nov. 28.—The coasting steamer Ponting, carrying a large number of laborers from Narvacan to the rice fields in Pangasinan province, struck a rock and sank during a storm off the town of San Fernando, in Union province. It is estimated that a hundred of the passengers and crew of the Ponting were drowned. The steamer Vigcaya rescued fifty-five.

MUST KEEP MUM

President Says Newport Conference Is Not to Be Talked About.

Washington, Nov. 28.—That there shall be no further public discussion by naval officers concerning the Newport conference without permission of the president, is the purport of an order issued by Secretary Metcalf by direction of the president. On Oct. 30 the department issued an order permitting officers to discuss the work of this conference except so far as it applied to changes to be made on ships to be authorized in the future. The president now has concluded that public discussion of alleged defects of battleships will not serve any good purpose.

"It is directed that under no circumstances is any officer to discuss before the public or to give any information, directly or indirectly, concerning the Newport conference, or to discuss any question of naval policy, without submitting what he wishes to say to the secretary of the navy or through the secretary of the navy to the president of the United States, and officers will be held to strict accountability in this respect."

LESS IDLE MACHINERY

Industrial Developments in the Direction of Improvement.

New York, Nov. 28.—Bradstreet's weekly review of trade today says: Wholesale trade, crop and industrial developments are generally in the direction of improvement, there is less idle machinery and the tone of affairs generally is still cheerful, but there are numerous irregularities noted in conditions in different sections and industries. The situation as a whole, therefore, lacks some of the uniformity which characterized it some time ago. Most optimism and strength is exhibited in the leading lines of domestic manufacture and wholesale trade, particularly as to the outlook for next year, and manufacturers are buying more freely of most raw materials, while wholesalers report evidences of scarcity in many lines.